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ADVOCATE OF PEACE.

JULY AND AUGUST, 1848.

TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE AMERICAN PEACE SOCIETY.

THE Society held its Twentieth Anniversary at 7 1-2 o'clock Monday evening, May 29th, in the Winter Street Church, Boston, before the largest audience ever assembled at any former anniversary, the spacious church being crowded to its utmost capacity, and large numbers obliged to leave for want of room. Hon. SAMUEL GREELE, one of the Vice-Presidents, presided; and the exercises were opened by the Rev. WILLIAM JENKS, D. D., of Boston, with prayer, and reading of the Scriptures. The Secretary then read an abstract of the Report, which was duly accepted; and the Rev. ORVILLE DEWEY, D.D., of New York, delivered the Address, for which the Society passed a vote of thanks, and requested a copy for publication. The former President having declined, Hon. WILLIAM JAY, N. Y., was unanimously elected to the office. The charter recently granted to the Society by the Legislature of Massachusetts, was also accepted with entire unanimity.

CHARTER.

SECTION 1. Samuel Greele, John Tappan, Simon Greenleaf, their associates and successors, are hereby made a Corporation by the name of the American Peace Society, for the promotion of universal peace, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties, restrictions and liabilities set forth in the forty-fourth chapter of the Revised Statutes.

SECTION 2. The said Corporation may take and hold real and personal estate, the net annual income of which shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars.

Passed to be enacted in the House, February 23d, 1848. Passed to be enacted in the Senate, February 24, 1848.